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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Worley, et al. Art Unit: 1644
Application No.: 09/245,277 Examiner: K. Clemens
Filed: February 5, 1999
Title: IMMEDIATE EARLY GENES AND METHODS OF USE THEREFOR

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PETITION UNDER 37 § 1.37(b) FOR
REVIVAL OF AN UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION**

Sir:

Applicant submits this Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) for revival of the above-identified application, which was unintentionally abandoned on November 2, 2001, for failure to properly respond to the Office Action mailed October 2, 2000.

Submitted herewith, as required by C.F.R. § 1.137(b)(1-4), are the following:

1. A response to the Office Action mailed October 2, 2000;
2. The petition fee pursuant to C.F.R. § 1.17;
3. A statement that the entire delay in filing the required reply, from the due date to the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional; and
4. Copy of the Notice of Abandonment.

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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8	
I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, May 9, 2001, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.	
Cecilia Tobin (Name of Person Mailing Paper)	
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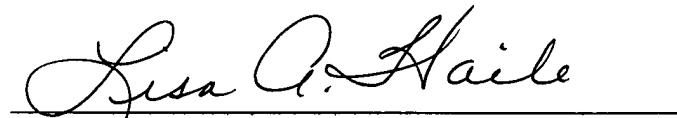
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Applicant respectfully petitions for revival of the above-identified application.

Enclosed is Check No. 476826 in the amount of \$620.00 for the fee to file the Petition to Revive an Unintentionally Abandoned Application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated herewith, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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